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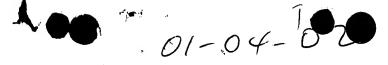
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- (1) a DECLARATION AND POWER OF ATTORNEY document listing the names of each of the inventors, specifically identifying the application by serial number and filing date, and signed by the inventors, Yakov Kogan, Parviz Tayebati and Daryoosh Vakhshoori;
- (2) An Abstract that does not exceed 150 words in length, commencing on a separate sheet;

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